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January 3, 41.

Secretary & Commissioner General,

S. M. C.

Reference: Your letter No. K.38/3  
dated December 24, 1940

Subject: Czechoslovakian Refugees

I forward herewith copy of a Police report on  
the above mentioned subject.

FILE

K. M. BOURNE  
Commissioner of Police.

JHS.

Special Branch,

December 31, 1940.

Czechoslovakian Refugees - Letter dated December 24, 1940  
from Secretary & Commissioner General, S.M.C.  
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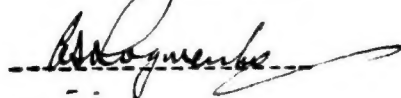
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I do not consider that there can be any objections to these arrangements provided that registration of immigrants is effected with S.M. Police upon arrival.

Certified true copy

  
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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

File No. ....

Special Branch - 31 Station,  
**REPORT**

Date December 31, 1940

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Secretary & Commissioner-General, S.M.C.

Made by.....D.S.I. Pitts Forwarded by.....D.I. Crawford

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Commr. of Police.

Sir:

Information

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A.C. (Special Branch).

*Ja. Pitts*  
D.S.I.

December 31, 40

Czechoslovakian Refugees - Letter dated December 14, 1940 from  
Secretary - Commissioner-General, U.S.C.  
D.S.I. Pitts  
G.I. Crawford

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Council Chamber

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

Shanghai,

December 24.

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The Commissioner of Police.

Czechoslovakian Refugees.

I have had an enquiry from Captain V.G. Taussig regarding the entry of Czechoslovakian refugees into Shanghai. It is the wish that permits be issued without using the agency of the Jewish Committee, in whose stead it is suggested that the local Czechoslovakian Committee might function.

The matter might be dealt with on the lines of the proposals regarding the entry of Polish refugees, referred to in my letter of August 9 to the Polish Charge d'Affaires and your report of September 17 (Reference D5422 (G)).

Perhaps you would be so good as to arrange for your representative to interview Captain Taussig in this matter.

D. C. (Cr & Sp. Branch)

Please do so & let me have a report in due course.



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*Tom Bow*  
Commissioner of Police

Secretary & Commissioner General.